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## **MISS THE INAUGURATION? DON'T MISS THE INAUGURAL POLITICS ON FILM!**

***Deadline for submissions to Washington's first political  
film festival March 13<sup>th</sup>***

WASHINGTON—The deadline for submissions for the inaugural DC political film festival *Politics on Film* is **March 13<sup>th</sup>**. The festival, taking place in the nation's capital **May 7-10, 2009**, has already received dozens of film submissions from across the country and around the globe.

*Politics on Film* is the nation's first juried film festival with a mission to highlight political film broadly, providing a platform for filmmakers who focus on government, the electoral process, or pressing public policy issues, and establishing an entertaining and educational opportunity for the community. The festival will award prizes in four categories: feature film, documentary film, international film, and political advertising.

Filmmakers wishing to submit films may do so at [www.politicsonfilm.com](http://www.politicsonfilm.com). All submissions must be postmarked by **March 13<sup>th</sup>** to be considered for this year's festival.

*Politics on Film* is a project of the Washington Political Film Foundation and is made possible by an alliance with the **Bipartisan Policy Center** (BPC), a research and advocacy organization that seeks to unite the constructive center in the pursuit of viable policy goals.

More information is available at [www.politicsonfilm.com](http://www.politicsonfilm.com)

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### **About Politics on Film**

Politics on Film is a project of the Washington Political Film Foundation. It is an annual, bipartisan film festival based in Washington DC dedicated to providing a platform for films that tell stories of America's politics and policies. The festival celebrates the power of film to educate and motivate, as well as entertain. The Festival also celebrates the historic and ongoing legacy of films about American government and democracy, as well as related stories and themes from an international perspective. [www.politicsonfilm.com](http://www.politicsonfilm.com).

**About the Bipartisan Policy Center**

Former U.S. Senate Majority Leaders Howard Baker, Tom Daschle, Bob Dole, and George Mitchell formed the Bipartisan Policy Center (BPC) in 2007 to develop and promote solutions that can attract the public support and political momentum to achieve real progress. The BPC acts as an incubator for policy efforts that engage top political figures, advocates, academics, and business leaders in the art of principled compromise. For more information please visit our website: [www.bipartisanpolicy.org](http://www.bipartisanpolicy.org).